STATE OF IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:

CRYSTAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC., d/b/a HICKORYTECH

DOCKET NOS. TCU-00-53 TF-00-229

AMENDED CERTIFICATE NO. 0187

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(Issued November 9, 2000)

On September 11, 2000, Crystal Communications, Inc., d/b/a HickoryTech (Crystal), filed a request to amend its certificate of convenience and necessity, pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29 (1999), to offer local exchange service in the Qwest Corporation (Qwest) exchanges of Grimes, Norwalk, and Waukee. Crystal stated that it concurs with the exchange service area maps of Qwest on file with the Utilities Board (Board) as they are today and as they may be changed in the future. Crystal also filed tariffs reflecting the offer of service in the additional exchanges on September 11, 2000. The tariffs have been identified as TF-00-229.

Crystal was previously granted Certificate No. 0187 to provide service in certain other Qwest exchanges and in the Harlan exchange of Iowa

Telecommunications Services, Inc., d/b/a Iowa Telecom, successor to GTE Midwest Incorporated. An order approving Crystal's request to amend its certificate,

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approving its concurrence in Qwest maps, and approving the tariff is being issued concurrently with this amended certificate.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

This certificate of public convenience and necessity, issued pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29(1) (1999), is amended to authorize Crystal Communications, Inc., d/b/a HickoryTech, to furnish local telephone service in the exchanges as shown by its tariffs as currently and subsequently approved.

UTILITIES BOARD

	/s/ Allan T. Thoms
ATTEST:	/s/ Susan J. Frye
/s/ Raymond K. Vawter, Jr. Executive Secretary	/s/ Diane Munns
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 9 th day of November, 2000.	